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Re: Rule 1.53(b) Continuation Application

Application of Birgit SCHLEIFENBAUM, Jens UHLEMANN,

Reinhard BOECK and Jurgen HINDERER

Entitled "ENCAPSULATED FLAVOR AND/OR FRAGRANCE PREPARATIONS"

Our Ref.: 3968.031

Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a Continuation Application of pending prior parent Application No. **09/868,297** filed on June 15, 2001, entitled "ENCAPSULATED FLAVOR AND/OR FRAGRANCE PREPARATIONS".

This application is being filed under 37 CFR 1.53(b).

The prior application is assigned to Examiner Leslie A. Wong in Group Art Unit 1761.

An executed Declaration of Inventorship and application as filed in the parent application are enclosed.

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